

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

January 13, 2011

Raymond M. Thompson Chief Executive Officer Calvin B. Taylor Bankshares, Inc. 24 North Main Street Berlin, Maryland 21811

> Re. Calvin B. Taylor Bankshares, Inc. Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2009 File No. 0-50047

Dear Mr. Thompson:

We have completed our review and have no further comments at this time.

If you have any questions about this review, please contact David Lyon at 202-551-3421.

Sincerely,

Michael Clampitt Senior Attorney Advisor